August 17, 2006

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Ron Smith Plant Manager Ash Grove Cement Company 230 Cement Road Inkom, ID 83245

RE: Facility ID No. 005-00004, Ash Grove Cement Company, Inkom

Changed to Proposed PTC for Public Comment

Dear Mr. Smith:

On August 11, 2006, the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) issued a proposed PTC No. P-060304 for the increase of limestone, clay, shale, gypsum, and cement for the Ash Grove Cement Co. facility located near Inkom. DEQ inadvertently omitted the Soil Withdrawal, Conveying, and Storage Section of the permit, and is reissuing a corrected version of the Permit and Statement of Basis for Public Comment.

This permit will replace the permit that is currently out for Public Comment that began on August 14, 2006.

At the end of the Public Comment period, DEQ will prepare a written response to the Public Comments and incorporate changes in the permits as appropriate. PTC at the time of its issuance in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.209.05.c.

If you have any questions regarding the terms or conditions of the proposed permit, or about the public comment period, please contact me at (208) 373-0212 or Michael.Simon@deq.idaho.gov.

Sincerely,

Michael Simon Stationary Source Program Manager Air Quality Division

MS/KH/bf/sd Permit No. P-060304

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c: Eric Hansen, Geomatrix Consultants, Inc., 19203 36th Avenue W, Suite 101, Lynwood, WA 98036
Pete Wagner, Pocatello Regional Office
Mike Simon, Stationary Source Program Manager
Ken Hanna, Permit Writer (letter only)
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VIA E-MAIL

Laurie Kral Office of Air Quality U.S. EPA, Region 10 1200 Sixth Ave., OAQ-107 Seattle, WA 98101

RE: Facility ID No. 005-00004, Ash Grove Cement, Inkom, ID
Revised Proposed PTC Containing Tier I Operating Permit Modifications

Dear Ms. Kral:

The Idaho Department of Environmental Quality is enclosing a revised proposed Permit to Construct (PTC) which contains proposed modifications to the Tier I operating permit for the Ash Grove Cement facility located near Inkom, Idaho. This permit is submitted for your review in accordance with Title V of the Clean Air Act and the Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho, IDAPA 58.01.01.209.05.c.iv and 58.01.01.366. The enclosed PTC revises the PTC issued to you on August 11, 2006 by adding the section for "Silo Withdrawal, Conveying, and Storage" which was previously inadvertently omitted.

Please find attached the following permit for review and comment:

 Revised proposed PTC No. P-060304 which is provided in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.209.05.c

If the draft permit is revised in response to public comment or affected state review, DEQ will send the revised proposed PTC to EPA for review in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.366. Processing of the final PTC will be in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.209.05.c.v.

If you have any questions regarding this action, please contact me at (208) 373-0212 or Michael.Simon@deq.idaho.gov.

Sincerely,

Michael Simon Stationary Source Program Manager Air Quality Division

MS/KH/bf/sd Permit No. P-060304 & T1-060305

Attachments

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c: Pete Wagner, Pocatello Regional Office Ken Hanna, Permit Writer (Ltr only) Joan Lechtenberg, Public Comment Source File Reading File, (Ltr only)